

July 30, 2016

My name is (b)(6). I am a resident of (b)(6). I have been living up here for the last (b)(6). I have a mobile home here and live by myself. I am a (b)(6) in Wisconsin now. I have been a (b)(6) for the last 25 years.

On June 9, 2016 I delivered my tap water sample to Davies Laboratories in LaCrosse. A few weeks later the results were mailed to me and I found out that my water nitrate level was 36.

When I found out my results I talked to some residents here and they recommended that I let the Town of Armenia Board know the results. I called our Town President on June 22, 2016 and he told me that everyone here knows the water is bad and that I should have known this. He has a whole house filtration system to take care of himself and his family. I asked him what kind of system – he told me and we finished our conversation. I knew that any more conversation with him was a waste of time.

I called (b)(6) on the recommendation of a resident in my town. She called me back and gave a list of resources to begin my journey with the water.

6/23/2016

Called Dee Lance from the DNR left numerous messages – she finally called me back and stated that she only deals with old gas station properties and said that she would forward my message and that the DNR would get back to me. The DNR never got back to me.

Called another (b)(6) spoke with this resident who stated to me that her 1st well was down 18 feet with a nitrate level of 31. They put in a new well at 48 feet and 8 years later their nitrate level is 29 and positive for E-Coli. She told me that she called Wysocki and he stated that if

he had to pay for her water filtration system he would have to pay for everyone's. She has an under the sink Reverse Osmosis System in her house.

Called Land Conservation and Water Quality Control for Juneau County – Talked with Gary Lowe – I told him level of nitrate he yelled at me about “why is everyone picking on the farm” I explained I knew nothing about this I was just reported my water quality levels and he did not take my name or address and told me to call the Juneau County RN

Called Juneau County (b)(6) – she did take my name and address and thanked me for this information.

Called Midwest Environmental Advocates Left Message and they did take my intake and got back to me later and stated basically there was nothing they can do for me unless my community gets together to get better water.

Called Cheryl Burdette at the EPA and left a message – did not hear back from her.

Called another resident down the block from me as her renter told me the water was bad and they had to place a RO system in the rental property. The Owner never did call me back. I do not know the water test result from this property.

Called the Department of Agriculture and spoke with Rick Graham who came to my property on June 27th and collected water for their test. He stated he was going to retest the nitrate level as well as all other pollutants that may be in the water. I am supposed to get these results in 4 weeks. As of this date – I have not received any results yet. Rick Graham did come to this area and collected from what I know numerous other residents water samples.

6/24/2016

Called the Department of Health Services for the Department of Agriculture. Spoke with Glen Schluter – who recommended a counter-top distiller.

The best thing that ever happened.

I have been very sick for a long time – I found out that I had hudge gallstones and had surgery to remove the gall bladder. By accident they found a 2.5 cm tumor located on my right adrenal gland during the ultrasound. I am to have an MRI done on August 4th. Then probably a biopsy to see if it is cancerous.

We have had 7 people with unusual cancers within the last year and have a fundraising benefits for them. Our community has so far lost 2 of them. 5 remain and currently being treated for their cancers. One of them is now starting to fight his 3rd different cancer with the MD telling him that he has not seen this in his 30 years MD career.

As a (b)(6) and a member of the United States of America, I have great concerns regarding the health of our people and our country. We need help to keep our country strong and health. There is no blame, only the facts. With our intelligence and technology in this country, we should be world leaders in healthy sustainable energy systems.

I also do have the aerial sprayers flying over my property and house. One day I was working outside and started dry coughing. A technician came over to repair my walking machine and he stated that he could smell something bad and asked what happened. I told him I figured it was the airplane, but of course can't prove this.

I have driven my car through many end gun irrigators that are spraying the road. Also while ATVing with a friend I did not drive through them and we were stuck not able to get home – we had to go 10 miles out of our water to not get sprayed with whatever.

I am now feeling better after starting to drink my distilled water. However, there is not a filtering system for my showering with warm water. I hope some day that this beautiful place I live in can have clean water to feel good in. My incisions have finally started to heal after using distilled water to clean them with soap. I was using the tap water prior to knowing my water test results and they were getting infected – now I know why.

I live here and yes I am concerned for my safety if my name gets out. People here are afraid or angry at people who unfortunately have bad water tests. I unknowingly spoke of my results and socially found out that that was a very bad idea. Some residents of Armenia told me to shut up and just drink bottle water like everyone else. I have found out that saying the word water around does not appear to be a good idea. So please keep my name quiet.

I appreciate you taking the time to read these few statements that people had the courage to even talk in this Town of Armenia.

Sincerely,

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LABORATORY ANALYSIS REPORT

Date: June 20, 2016
Client No: 11683

Nekoosa, WI 54457

Sample No: 6060441-01

Sample Site: Bathroom Faucet

Sample Collected: 09-Jun-16 09:58

Sample Received: 09-Jun-16 11:48

Parameter	Result	Units	LOD	LOQ/RL	Dilution	Prepared	Analyzed	Method	MCL	Qualifier
SDWA Inorganic Analysis										
Arsenic, Total	<0.0005	mg/L	0.0005	0.002	1	16-Jun-16 08:48	16-Jun-16 08:53	SM 3113 B-2004	0.01	
Microbiological Analysis										
Coliform, total	Absent	---			1	09-Jun-16 12:35	09-Jun-16 12:35	SM 9223 B (Colilert)-97		
E. Coli	Absent	---			1	09-Jun-16 12:35	09-Jun-16 12:35	SM 9223 B (Colilert)-97		

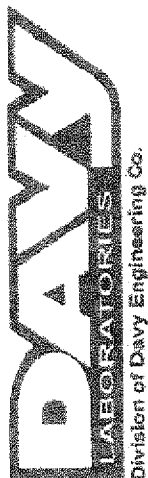
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SDWA Inorganic Analysis

Nitrate as N	36.0	mg/L	0.500	1.50	500	10-Jun-16 12:28	10-Jun-16 12:28	EPA 300.0	10	A-02
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Residue in pot after counter-top distiller has run

